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The Council met in the Council Hall, Ernakulam, at Eleven of the clock with the Hon'ble the President (A. F. W. DIXON ESQ., I.C.S.) in the Chair.

Messrs. Ismail Hajee Essa Sait, Popatlal Govardhan Lalan, L. M. Pylee, V. N. Damodaran Nambiar, M. L. Joseph, P. Achyuta Menon, K. Ashtamurthi Nambudiripad, H. J. Walmesley, Rao Bahadur M. Narayana Menon and B. V. K. Menon were absent.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

DEPRESSED CLASS CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES—PARTICULARS OF

361. മിസ്റ്റർ പി. കെ. കൃഷ്ണൻ : (എ) കൊച്ചിയിൽ അധഃകൃതരുടെയിടയിൽ ഉള്ള പരസ്പരസഹായ സംഘങ്ങളിൽ എത്ര വ്യവസായസംഘങ്ങളും എത്ര കാഷ്ികസംഘങ്ങളുമാണുള്ളതു് ;

(ബി) അവ ഓരോന്നും ഏതെല്ലാം സ്ഥലങ്ങളിലാണു് സ്ഥാപിച്ചിട്ടുള്ളതു് ?

മിസ്റ്റർ ടി. കെ. നായർ : (എ) വ്യവസായപരമായും കാഷ്ികപരമായും മാത്രം പ്രവത്തനം നടത്തുന്ന അധഃകൃത പരസ്പരസഹായസംഘങ്ങൾ കൊച്ചിയിൽ ഇല്ല. അധഃകൃത പരസ്പരസഹായസംഘങ്ങൾ മുഴുവനും നാണയസംഘങ്ങളാണു്. എന്നാൽ ഈയിടെയായി ചില സംഘങ്ങൾ നാണയപരമായ പ്രവത്തനങ്ങൾക്കു പുറമെ പകരി തല്ലൽ, കയറുപിരിക്കൽ, മത്സ്യം പിടിക്കൽ മുതലായ വ്യവസായപരമായ പ്രവത്തനങ്ങളും നടത്തിവരുന്നുണ്ടു്.

(ബി) ൩ സംഘങ്ങൾ നാണയപരമായ പ്രവത്തനങ്ങൾക്കു പുറമെ വ്യവസായങ്ങളും നടത്തുന്നുണ്ടു്. അവ.—

(൧) പുല്ലഴി ശ്രീനാരായണ പരസ്പരസഹായസംഘം (കല്ലുവെട്ടു വ്യവസായം).

(൨) അരനാട്ടുകര മത്തായിപുരം കോളനി പരസ്പരസഹായസംഘം (നെല്ലുകുത്തു").

(൩) മാള പുലയ പരസ്പരസഹായസംഘം (കല്ലുവെട്ടു").

(൪) പാറളം പടന്ന പരസ്പരസഹായസംഘം (മത്സ്യം പിടുത്തം).

(൫) പെരുമ്പിള്ളിശ്ശേരി പരസ്പരസഹായസംഘം (മത്സ്യം പിടുത്തവും കയർപിരിയും).

(൬) കൊടുങ്ങല്ലൂർ ലോകമലേശ്വരം വേട്ടുവ പരസ്പരസഹായസംഘം (കയർപിരി).

SUPERINTENDENT, CENTRAL JAIL—PAY OF THE PRESENT INCUMBENT

362. Mr. P. Govinda Menon *(Mulakunnathukavu)* : Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) what is the salary attached to the post of the Superintendent of the Central Jail ;

(*b*) what is the salary given to the present incumbent ;

(*c*) which is the permanent place of that gentleman ?

Rama Varmha Tampuran *(Secretary to Government)* : (*a*) Rs. 150—10—200.

(*b*) Rs. 200 plus Rs. 50 personal allowance.

(*c*) Permanent District Superintendent of Police, Trichur.

Mr. P. Govinda Menon *(Mulakunnathukavu)* : May I know, Sir, whether the gentleman concerned is a person who has undergone Police training ?

Rama Varmha Tampuran *(Secretary to Government)* : Yes. He has undergone Vellore training for the D. S. P.'s place.

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Mr. P. Govinda Menon *(Mulakunnathukavu)*: May I know why this gentleman is asked to do work in the Central Jail and not in the Police Department?

Rama Varmha Tampuran *(Secretary to Government)*: Government wanted a suitable officer for the Jail at that time and they selected this gentleman.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South)*: May I know, Sir, whether the incumbent who was there at that time was found inefficient?

Rama Varmha Tampuran *(Secretary to Government)*: It was thought necessary that there should be another person there.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South)*: That is what I want to know. I want to know whether he was found inefficient?

Rama Varmha Tampuran *(Secretary to Government)*: Government cannot say definitely that he was inefficient, because there was no charge against him. But Government thought it would be better that D. S. P. Mr. Mannadiar is appointed there as Superintendent. At the same time it would be unfair to say that the previous incumbent there was inefficient. That is going too far. That is why I rather modified my answer.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South)*: What is the reason for the Government to think that another man should be put in there?

Rama Varmha Tampuran *(Secretary to Government)*: Because they thought he will be better.

Mr. P. Govinda Menon *(Mulakunnathukavu)*: Is it a fact, Sir, that there are now in the Cochin Government service three gentlemen who have undergone training in Vellore and that none of them is now working in the Police Department?

Rama Varmha Tampuran *(Secretary to Government)*: One is Mr. Neelakanta Menon who is the present Chief Justice who was trained for the Commissioner of Police. The other two were for the D. S. P.'s post. Mr. Mannadiar is the Superintendent of Central Jail and Mr. Devassy is the A. R. P. Officer.

Mr. President: There is also another officer.

Mr. A. B. Salem *(Mattancheri)*: May I know why persons specially trained for a particular department are sent to another department?

Rama Varmha Tampuran *(Secretary to Government)*: Sometimes it so happens that it becomes very necessary that a person is to go to some other department to do work there. It is not possible in a small State like this always to keep that person in that department alone. Mr. Devassy was in the Police Department ever since he came and it is only very recently that these officers were transferred for very special reasons. Mr. Devassy was posted as A. R. P. Officer, a post which was very recently started and for which some police qualification would also be required.

Mr. A. B. Salem *(Mattancheri)*: Is there any special training prescribed for the Jail Superintendent?

Rama Varmha Tampuran *(Secretary to Government)*: Of course, the Assistant Superintendent has been trained in the Coimbatore Jail and as for the Superintendent's training that is a place for persons to get themselves trained.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South)*: May I know the special qualification the permanent D. S. P. is holding so that he may be sent over to the Central Jail?

Mr. President: His special qualification is that he is a good disciplinarian.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Cheruthuruthi)*: Was he not an able Police Officer?

Rama Varmha Tampuran *(Secretary to Government)*: Yes.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Cheruthuruthi)*: Then why was his case not considered at the time of the recent appointment of the Deputy Commissioner?

Rama Varmha Tampuran *(Secretary to Government)*: That is quite a different subject altogether. It does not arise out of this question on the Central Jail. If you put a separate question we will answer that.

CIVIL COURTS IN ERNAKULAM AND COCHIN—RE-OPENING OF

363. Mr. P. Govinda Menon *(Mulakunnathukavu)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) when are the Civil Courts in Ernakulam and Cochin due to re-open after the vacation;

(*b*) is there any idea to change the date of re-opening;

(*c*) are Government thinking of shifting these courts temporarily to any other place, if so, to which place or places?

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